

Proposed Bill No. 414

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LCO No. 1239

Referred to Committee on Public Health

Introduced by: SEN. WELCH, 31st Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING FINANCIAL INSTITUTIONS' CONSIDERATION OF UNPAID HEALTH CARE BILLS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That title 36a of the general statutes be amended to prohibit banks,
- 2 credit agencies and other lending institutions from considering an
- 3 applicant's unpaid health care bills when evaluating the applicant's
- 4 credit worthiness.

Statement of Purpose:

To prohibit banks, credit agencies and other lending institutions from considering unpaid health care bills when determining an individual's credit worthiness.